

SB213_L.081

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE AMENDMENT

Committee on Education.SB13-213 be amended as follows:

- 1 Amend reengrossed bill, page 105, after line 20, insert:
- 2 "(e) "INNOVATION SCHOOL" HAS THE SAME MEANING AS PROVIDED
- 3 IN SECTION 22-32.5-103 (2)."
- 4 Page 105, line 23, after "PROVIDERS," insert "INNOVATION SCHOOLS,".
- 5 Page 106, line 4, after "PROVIDER," insert "INNOVATION SCHOOL,".
- 6 Page 106, strike lines 13 and 14 and substitute "STUDENT RETENTION,
- 7 REDUCING DROPOUT RATES, AND INCREASING GRADUATION RATES.
- 8 APPLICANTS ARE ENCOURAGED TO APPLY FOR GRANTS TO IMPLEMENT
- 9 EXPANDED LEARNING TIME INITIATIVES AND OTHER INITIATIVES THAT ARE
- 10 LIKELY TO RESULT IN SIGNIFICANT STUDENT ACADEMIC GROWTH.".
- 11 Page 106, line 21, strike "IMPROVEMENTS IN", insert "IMPROVING
- 12 STUDENT RETENTION, REDUCING DROPOUT RATES, AND INCREASING
- 13 GRADUATION RATES AND MAY RESULT IN IMPROVING".
- 14 Page 107, strike lines 3 through 5 and substitute "THAT ARE LIKELY TO
- 15 IMPROVE STUDENT RETENTION, REDUCE DROPOUT RATES, AND INCREASE
- 16 GRADUATION RATES AND MAY IMPROVE STUDENT ACADEMIC
- 17 ACHIEVEMENT;".
- 18 Page 107, strike lines 10 through 12 and substitute:
- 19 "(b) SUBJECT TO AVAILABLE APPROPRIATIONS, THE BOARD SHALL
- 20 AWARD THE EDUCATION INNOVATION GRANTS, TAKING INTO ACCOUNT:
- 21 (I) THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE DEPARTMENT;
- 22 (II) EACH APPLICANT'S DEMONSTRATED ABILITY TO SUSTAIN THE
- 23 PROPOSED INITIATIVE AFTER GRANT MONEYS ARE NO LONGER AVAILABLE;
- 24 AND
- 25 (III) THE NUMBER OF YEARS, IF ANY, THAT EACH APPLICANT HAS
- 26 ALREADY RECEIVED EDUCATION INNOVATION GRANT FUNDING AND THE
- 27 SUCCESS ACHIEVED BY IMPLEMENTING THE INITIATIVE.
- 28 (c) AN APPLICANT THAT RECEIVES AN EDUCATION INNOVATION
- 29 GRANT MAY APPLY TO RENEW THE GRANT IN SUBSEQUENT YEARS; EXCEPT
- 30 THAT AN APPLICANT MAY RECEIVE EDUCATION INNOVATION GRANT
- 31 MONEYS FOR THE SAME INITIATIVE FOR NO MORE THAN FIVE SCHOOL
- 32 YEARS.

1 (d) AN APPLICANT THAT RECEIVES AN EDUCATION INNOVATION
2 GRANT AND APPLIES FOR A SECOND OR SUBSEQUENT EDUCATION
3 INNOVATION GRANT FOR THE SAME INITIATIVE MUST, WITH EACH
4 APPLICATION, SUBMIT A REPORT THAT SETS FORTH THE SUCCESS OF THE
5 INITIATIVE IN IMPROVING STUDENT RETENTION, REDUCING DROPOUT
6 RATES, INCREASING GRADUATION RATES, AND IMPROVING STUDENT
7 ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT."

8 Page 107, line 14, strike "INITIATIVE, AND EACH" and substitute
9 "INITIATIVE IN IMPROVING STUDENT RETENTION, REDUCING DROPOUT
10 RATES, AND INCREASING GRADUATION RATES AND IN IMPROVING STUDENT
11 ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT. EACH".

12 Page 108, strike lines 1 through 3 and substitute "RECEIVE TECHNICAL
13 GRANTS AS PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION (8) OF THIS SECTION TO SUPPORT
14 APPLICANTS IN WRITING GRANTS AND IMPLEMENTING INITIATIVES,
15 INCLUDING THE AMOUNT AND DURATION OF AND ANY DUTIES ASSOCIATED
16 WITH THE TECHNICAL GRANT."

17 Page 108, line 14, strike "MEMBER WHO REPRESENTS" and substitute
18 "PERSON WHO IS A MEMBER OF".

19 Page 108, line 16, strike "MEMBER WHO REPRESENTS" and substitute
20 "PERSON WHO IS AN EMPLOYEE OF".

21 Page 108, strike lines 18 through 26 and substitute:

22 "(C) ONE PERSON WHO IS A TEACHER IN A PUBLIC SCHOOL IN
23 COLORADO;

24 (D) ONE PERSON WHO IS AN EMPLOYEE OF A CHARTER SCHOOL IN
25 COLORADO;

26 (E) ONE PERSON WHO IS A SCHOOL EXECUTIVE IN A PUBLIC SCHOOL
27 OR SCHOOL DISTRICT IN COLORADO;

28 (F) ONE PERSON WHO IS A MEMBER OF A SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD
29 OF EDUCATION IN COLORADO; AND

30 (G) ONE PERSON WHO IS A CITIZEN OF THE STATE OF COLORADO;
31 AND".

32 Page 109, line 5, after the period, insert "IN ADDITION, THE APPOINTING
33 AUTHORITIES SHALL CONSIDER EACH APPOINTEE'S BACKGROUND AND
34 EXPERIENCE IN DEVELOPING, GUIDING, AND EVALUATING INNOVATIVE
35 EFFORTS IN EDUCATION, IN BUSINESS, OR IN SOME OTHER SECTOR."

1 Page 109, strike lines 24 through 27 and substitute:

2 "(8) (a) AN APPLICANT MAY SELECT AN ORGANIZATION TO
3 PROVIDE TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE TO THE APPLICANT IN WRITING THE
4 GRANT APPLICATION AND IN IMPLEMENTING THE INITIATIVE FOR WHICH
5 THE APPLICANT SEEKS A GRANT. THE APPLICANT MAY APPLY TO THE
6 DEPARTMENT FOR APPROVAL OF THE ORGANIZATION. IF THE DEPARTMENT
7 APPROVES THE ORGANIZATION, THE BOARD MAY APPROVE A TECHNICAL
8 GRANT FOR THE ORGANIZATION TO OFFSET THE ORGANIZATION'S COSTS IN
9 ASSISTING THE APPLICANT. IN ISSUING THE GRANT, THE BOARD MAY
10 SPECIFY CERTAIN DUTIES OR ACTIVITIES THAT THE ORGANIZATION MUST
11 COMPLETE USING THE GRANT MONEYS.

12 (b) THE BOARD, WITH SUPPORT FROM THE DEPARTMENT, SHALL
13 RESEARCH AND IDENTIFY ORGANIZATIONS THAT MAY BE APPROPRIATE TO
14 ASSIST GRANT APPLICANTS IN WRITING THE GRANT APPLICATIONS AND IN
15 IMPLEMENTING THE INITIATIVES. THE BOARD SHALL PUBLICIZE THE LIST OF
16 APPROPRIATE ORGANIZATIONS THROUGH THE DEPARTMENT'S WEB SITE."

17 Page 110, strike lines 1 through 8.

18 Page 111, line 5, strike "CONTRACT WITH" and substitute "AWARD
19 TECHNICAL GRANTS TO APPROVED ORGANIZATIONS AS PROVIDED IN
20 SUBSECTION (8) OF THIS SECTION; AND".

21 Page 111, strike lines 6 through 9.

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